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OUR THIRTY-THIRD SEASON

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HE'S 'LYON'!

"This year in the NRC has been great! With the tips I have gotten I have received many QSL cards. I also like the service!" -Randall Lyon, R.D. 1 - Altamont, NY, 12009

SPECIALS

		kc/s		Watts	A.M., E.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 14	W M G O	1370	Canton, Mississippi	1,000	1:00 - 2:30 NRC-PoP
14	W F U L	1240	Fulton, Kentucky	1,000	1:30 - 2:00 T E S T
14	W J L E	1480	Smithville, Tennessee	1,000	2:00 - 2:30, or
					2:30 - 3:00 T E S T
14	W A M O	860	Pittsburgh, Penna. (AXR)	250	3:15 - 3:30 T E S T
Wed. Feb. 23	K C A N	1550	Canyon, Texas	1,000	2:05 - 2:25 NASA-f/c
Mon. Feb. 21	V O A	1140	Porc, Philippines	1,000,000	5:00 - 6:00 I R C A
Mon. Feb. 28	C K T R	1150	Trois Rivières, Quebec	1,000	3:00 - 3:30 N R C
28	W B V P	1230	Beaver Falls, Penna.	250	3:00 - 4:00 N R C
28	K G A R	1550	Vancouver, Washington	1,000	3:01 - 3:10 NASA-f/c
Sat. Apr. 30	K O U R	1220	Independence, Iowa	250	1:00 - ??? NRC-f/c

VOA-1140. Reports to Mr. Edwin L. Davis, Deputy Manager, Broadcasting Service, John Hay Air Base, Baguio City, Philippines, A.P.O. San Francisco, Cal. 96298. Mr. Davis writes "This transmitter will operate at its full rated output power of 1,000kw. into a 332° pattern. Unfortunately, this pattern is not directed to your area, however, it is the most northerly pattern available & should be satisfactory for the purpose." Channel clear on West Coast.

LARRY GODWIN

NOTE: KCAN-1550 f/c info is from NASA, not NRC, so does NOT count extra in Contest.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

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NEW STATIONS

1170 Waupun, Wisconsin 250 D-1 1510 Port Sulphur, Louisiana 500 D-1

NEW CALLS

1090 W B A F Barnesville, Georgia 1260 W O C O Oconto, Wisconsin
W J K M Hartsville, Tennessee 1350 W B M S Black Mountain, N. C.
1110 W K R A Holly Springs, Mississippi 1460 W D O G Allendale, S. C. (on)
1140 K P W B Piedmont, Missouri 1530 W H Y P North East, Pennsylvania

CALL CHANGES

1230 W U B E Cincinnati, O., from WCPO 1450 W L Y V Fort Wayne, Ind. fr. WANE
1330 K Z A K Tyler, Texas, from KDOK 1490 K D O K Tyler, Texas, from KGKB

FACILITIES

1150 K D E F Albuquerque, New Mexico, to 5,000/500 U-2, from 1,000/500 U-2.
1240 W M P A Aberdeen, Mississippi, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

1230 W C B T New XR site FCC 1270 K V C L New XR site FCC
W U B E Ex-WCPO NRC 1460 W D O G Allendale, S. C. NRC
1240 K F M O Now 1,000/250 U-1 FCC 1480 W M A X Now 5,000 D-1 FCC
1450 W X V W Now 1,000/250 U-1 FCC 1600 K W O W New antenna system FCC

Frank Merrill Jr. - 10693 Saline-Milan Road - Milan, Michigan - 48160

Hello dere from a new college student at the U. of Michigan! The work is very time-consuming & hard, thus the reason I haven't Mused for about five weeks. I'm still managing some DX, almost all on weekends. 12/27- WYNS-1150 end f/c-TT 12:31am, WVOC-1500 f/c-TT 1:20, WDKN-1260 ET/TT/OC 1:44-1:52 & on, WHOD-1290 2:53, WSMN-1590 ET/TT 3:18, WENZ-1450 3:35, & HJKX-1370 "R. Mundial" 3:59. 12/28- WTMC-1290 12:21 f/c-TT. 12/29- WPYB-1580 ET/TT 2:22. 1/6- WCNR-930 s/off 5pm on Don Cramer's homebrew special at Ann Arbor (RX #14 in my totals). 1/16- WPPA-1360 "EZ" @ 3:51am, WRNY-1350 4:20, & KFAC-1330 5:03 for a real surprise o/u unnn WHOT, which I took a relogging on for a verie. 1/18- WJTN-1240 12:12am, WCMC-1230 s/off 12:04 (These heard on my G.E. AM/FM Clock Radio usually used only for FM, RX #15 in my BCB totals). 1/23- KRUS-1490 2:15 f/c-TT, KQAG-970 3:05 battling WWSW/WJRZ, & WROS-1330 ending ET/M/TT/OC @ 4:31. Ernie, they are fulltime c/w if you're interested, hi. W/the above-mentioned WJRZ. The last time I heard them was about seven or eight years ago, back when they were WAAT! Report out for 1/23 reception. Some veries: v/1- KLOL KCLR KOSG KPRO KCCT WYSE KITI. v/f- KYME WFUR CCH. v/q- WHOT, Sierra Leone-1200, KTRB. Mt WHOT verie from Jerry Starr -thanks a million, Jerry! Still awaiting my Lebanon-836 verie which Ken Butterfield got weeks ago, for VAC. Wayne Heinen, since you can't send me your head, why not send a "consolation prize" like several WMMJ SCs, hi? Anyone know where I can get the extinct (as of 10/65) Indianapolis Times? Newspaper totals now up to about 555. S. Weinstein, your 5:30 s/off on 1520 on 12/3 wasn't WSVL, they're fulltime, but may have been WHOW or something. By the way, Ken Butterfield showed me his brand-new TV picture-sucker several weeks ago. It really works great for pulling out the TV DX, especially from behind other stations! M. Tilbrook, does WENS-22 have WX @ 6:57am weekdays? (Please write). SC total 658. CKDM heard announcing 350 below just about five minutes ago (1:30am 1/29). Gordon Nelson, your China-1525 is the equal of an OKI-570 SC in the SE world, hi. Well that's all for now, so 73s, goodnight chacha/cha & all dat dere rot.

Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014

Howdy from WEEZ Country Radio Land, first in the hearts of all listeners, not mine at least, hi. This week of DX has really been wild, WX-wise & DX-wise. Much DX so here goes: 1/25- VKOK-1070 & WCPC-940. 1/26- Snowing, good for Md. stations, WEND-1460, WBOC-960 & WDMA-730 all reported. 1/27- WHEB-750 for #2 from NH. 1/28- Good ole WRKL-910 logged & reported. I told you I'd get them, Allen Nissen! 1/30- More snow. WILK-980 o/WRC. We had 13" 1/30 w/up to five-foot drifts. Many real nice veries in: KDON-1460 for #3 from Calif., WJWL-900, WTOD-1560 ET, WSRN-637, Swarthmore College, Pa. Nice v/1 here again today, & a real fine one KITI-1560 in one month. A v/1 it was. Verie total 243 in 38 states. On the outlaw scene: WJRP-650 in Chester logged very clear but bad audio. They gave IDs every five minutes. Also, something on 1605 that s/off at 5:40pm for the past three nights. I don't know who. Something that really popped me off, all SM I heard this real loud snap in the back of the radio. Well, it turned out the snow hitting my longwire made static electricity & made the spark. So I got a neon lamp & hooked one side to the ground & the other to the antenna. It got rid of the noise & now lights up! It didn't reduce signal strength either. WEEZ has been having trouble here w/WBRY. I can loop out WEEZ to nothing & one mile away! Well, I have to go, no school on 1/31 so I'm up all MM to 4am at least & will reports next Musing. 73s & good sledding, Mike & Steve!

Edward Greb-Lasky - 26 Essex Place - New Britain, Connecticut - 06053

Greetings fellow DXers. Forgive me being so rude as to never entering a Muse since I joined in 8/65. I'm not much of a DXer (131 logged & 38 verified) but I will try to contribute my best to our Club. Some of my best veries are: WHO-1040 WFAA-820 & WSB-750. Latest DX: 1/22- WIP-610 1am, WSLR-1350 2:15, WXYZ-1270 2:21, CJET-630 2:30am. 1/22PM- CBA-1070 6:30, WARM-590 4:10, WVMT-620 4:13, WHUN-1150 4:18, WFEA-1370 4:35, WSAN-1470 5pm. 1/29-AM- WOL-1450 1:16, WJRZ-970 12:30, WCBM-680 2am, WKAZ-950 2:20. I wish that someone would write or call me up. I would appreciate meeting some fellow DXers in neighboring towns, hi. 73s till next issue. (Welcome to the NRC, Edward, & I have a feeling someone will write or call! -ERC)

Ed Kowalski - 757 South 3 Street - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania - 19147

WXPB, apparently a carrier-current station of the U. of Pa. on about 728k & located on the other side of town (6-7 miles) has been noted here S-5 w/cl mx @ 4:30 & NX @ 5pm. What is the range of these stations? I thought they weren't supposed to cross power line circuits. 73.

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Ken Cutler - c/6 CARE-MEDICO - Box 148 - Kabul, Afghanistan

Well, gentlemen, here it is: the quarterly edition of desert DX. Since my last letter nothing much has happened. You will excuse a little international DX comment, but U.S. is next to impossible. First, let me say that the DX NEWS took long in getting here, but the shock & sorrow will be even longer in leaving. I just learned of Ray & Kate Edge's death about three weeks ago. I didn't know him personally, but we did do a little corresponding. As a matter of fact, his death left one outstanding. I should have realized that something had happened, when two weeks went by without a reply. Ray was always a good writer, & I'm sure just as great a guy. Also, I'd like to clear up any poison-dagger thoughts on the part of Mike Silvera. I just recently received your letter, Mike, & I'm sending the reply out tonight. I can't help you too much on the stamp subject, but I'm giving your name to another guy here in Kabul who can give you what you need. He's also a radio enthusiast, but only in the technical aspect, hi. No DX. And now, before I overrun my limit, here goes my recent DX. West Germany was heard on 664k on 11/22 at midnight w/so-so mx & long intermittent periods of talking. Though on different frequencies, I believe this to be the same station that Dangerfield heard on 11/1, because of the similarity in program material. Why don't you consider that loggable, Ben? Also, unID on 747k w/Arabic @ 2pm, any ideas, ERC? (Baghdad-746? -ERC) Hi to Mr. Jones at WDEL. I bet you never thought I'd end up here, did you? Also hi to Jack Forbing & Al Slater. I would like everyone to know I'm open to any and all correspondence here, in Afghanistan. Also, I'll be happy to attempt to answer any questions concerning R. Kabul policy. Ah, last but not least (certainly) can anyone bring me up to date on new CB rulings, if any, & CB activities? 73 till March.

Stephen McIntire - 2225 Searle Street - Des Moines, Iowa - 50317

DX has been fair recently w/1/31 making up for slackened DX activity. Do you know that the sonar system of bats is on a frequency of 97.3 mg/s on the FM band? At least KDMI thinks so, hi. 1/1- WVAK-1560 @ 4:46am ending test. 1/3- Terrible MM. WEZE/CFRN-1260 along w/unm WNDR noted during WNXT time. KOVO & KABL-960 heard while trying for KNEZ. TT heard @ 3:21, tentative off. WJW-850 3:59. Tic-toc on 1210 @ 4:31 to end a terrible morn. 1/9- CJRL-1220 2:05am. 1/10- Another bad MM. KFJM TEST @ 2am good throughout w/some SS QRM. WINU-1510 like everyone else @ 2:45. WOPA-1490 NN 3:30, KTYM-1460 3:59. It looks like I gave up too quickly on WABR though. Later that night, WWGM-1560 s/off 5pm & WDXR. KCGM-1580 6:15. 1/14- KOKX-1310 1:30am r/c. 1/15- WYDE-850 r/c 3am. KQEO-920 3:16. WPPA DX well most of the time. WRNY-1350 4am s/on. WFBL-1390 4:17 spunding a lot like KCBC, uh. 1/17- Try for CFRD netted WTAR @ 3:30. 1/22- KUSN-1270 12:46pm. 1/26- KROX-1260 r/c 2:16, KPOW r/c 2:22, WFBM-1260 2:30. 1/30- CKEY-590 3:05, #400. CKPR-580 3:07; WSGN-610 3:10; CJOC-1220 3:20; WEZY-1350 3:34; WXOK-1460 4:10. 1/31- Best DX ever in this den. KXOL-1360 2:38; WRIT-1340 2:40 looking futilely for CFYK; KNAK-1280 2:52; no KPRM heard but WIST heard during the time plus an unID TT, who? KTIK-1240 s/off 3:30! WHKY-1290 heard o/semi-locals KOIL/WIRL! CBLK-1090 4:30 @ 40 o/S-9! Later topping WBAL! Not an image or my imagination. WBBF-950 4:40; WAPC-1150 5:28 ending the morning of my life! 2/1- KSAC-580 finally @ 5:59pm WEBC-560 6pm. Trying for WHEB, I got an rr u/KMMH @ 5:40. Is this they? KNOE-540 at 7pm. 73s, & more Specials!

L/Cpl. P.E. Crocker - 2098531 - USMC - First Plt. "B" Co. - Mar. Bks - Ft. Meade, Md 20755

Long time no write. I want to wish everyone the best DX for the upcoming year. I've done very little DX in the past year & hope to get back in the swing of things this upcoming year. I was real glad I was able to attend the annual gabfest in Brooklyn 11/26. It was nice talking to some of the NRCers whom I'd met before & as always I enjoyed meeting several members whom I'd never met before. Already I'm looking forward to this year's gabfest which is just nine months & 26 days away, hi. Also I enjoyed phone call w/Jeff Kadet, Alan Merriman, David Gnauck, Alex McNeil, Ken Maylath, Rick Marr, Ken Murphy & visits w/Dave Schmidt & Ben Dangerfield. To Joe Kureth: What is your telephone number? No DX at all the last two months, due to lack of a radio. I plan to get the tuning band fixed on my SW-54 & then I'll be back in full force. Well, that's about it for now. I hope to call several of you NRCers in the NYC area in the near future as I'm in Fort Lee N.J. at least a couple of times a week. Also, how about a letter from you, Dick Russell? I'll close for now & say 73s.

George Greene - 1527 Sunset Avenue - Akron, Ohio - 44301

Not too much time for DXing, but nevertheless several new stations have been added. 11/20, I brought in three new ones during the early AM: WSGN-610 w/some WDAF QRM (P.4)

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(G. Greene) CKCK-620, & KWOC-930 testing w/c/w. 12/12- Call change of local WDOK to WIXY w/adoptions of a mostly rr mx policy. 1/24- WNDR-1260 heard around lan; nothing else new noted that AM due to an especially HNL from 1200k on upward. 1/27- WOPA-1490 heard around midnight, along w/WJMO; reception of local WJMO being quite unusual at this time since I never have heard them after SSS here, before. KLVI-560 also noted. 1/29 WHBF-1270 completely dominating the frequency w/no sign of WXYZ at all. A couple of hours later, though, WXYZ was in its usual dominant position. Noreports sent or veries received for AM, but WLEC-FM was received about two weeks ago. I have many traders, so all SCers please write. I note that Gene Woo mentions KSD's coverage area for the daytime is bigger than KMOX's, due to frequency. This is also true in the NYC area; I have noth WINS' & WMCA's CMs & their coverage areas are almost exactly the same. Dan Shoaf, you mentioned KBAT/dominates "105 counties" - what type of mx do they play? Funny thing, even though they're on a graveyard channel, WVON-1450 is a nighttime regular here w/a fairly clear signal. I got the new VJ Log last week. It seems to be quite good, w/a few obvious errors. I have sent away for the new Broadcasting Yearbook, but I haven't received it yet. Jerry Starr, I sure would like to be able to get WHOT out here; even though I'm less than 50 miles away. I have heard it only a couple of times on its 1330 frequency. I used to get it all the time on 1570. I get WRED-FM most of the time though, & can listen to it that way. I'll have to try to come out there some time this Spring. 73.

Walt Breville - 9127 Coral Drive - Affton, Missouri - 63123

Greetings from the Show-Me state. We just had an 8" snowfall today; the school kids are whooping it up w/over 250 schools in the St. Louis area closed today & tomorrow. DX has been fair to middlin'. 1/7- CHOK-1070 11pm. 1/8- KCLO-1410 Kan. 6pm. 1/11- KSIB-1520 Iowa 6:15pm s/off. 1/14- WWUN-1590 Miss. 1:10am. 1/15- WAMY-1580 Miss. 5:47 s/off, WNGO-1320 Ky. 6:03 s/off, KPIK-1580 7:01pm s/off. 1/16- WKBH-1410 Wis. 1:25am, WXOK-1460 1:28, KLVI-560 Tex. 2:40. Weak rr on 1170, couldn't get ID, KCBQ? WPPA-1360 NRC DX in strong 3:35-3:45, harder to log afterwards, w/some KRYS QRM, which was mostly looped here. WCIL/WPEO-1020 Ill. caught @ 6pm s/off w/KDKA looped. Local KXEB off earlier finally made these possible. 1/21- KIMM-1150 SD in good 8am w/rr & KSAL QRM. MM 1/24- WLTC-1370 NC 4:33am, WHOO-990 in strong for a minute 4:51, WJAZ-960 Ga. 5:02 s/on, WNEG-630 Ga. 5:27, KCOH-1430 Houston 5:45, KCRG-1600 6am s/on caught just ten seconds before local KATZ s/on drowned it. KCLU-1590 6:05am, been after this nearby one for quite a while. WAIK-1590 Ill. 6:53, WPCO-1590 6:56am. 1/29- WCAZ-990 5:30pm. Oops, I forgot to add KICK-1340, heard MM 1/16 AN-rr, another wanted Mo. caught. MM 1/31- KLZ-560 s/off 1:12am noted, WBOC-960 Md. operating w/5,000w. (announced) 2:40, apparently on AN for snowstorm. WJIM-1240 Mich. 3:30am. I believe I heard KPRI-1240 DX ID 3:32am, but not sure - I was caught off guard when I gave up trying & started typing my report to WBOC. Late verie arrivals include WABR WXOK WAIT (heard daytime here u/ good CX) CJIC (3.5 months) XEVO KELO KSAL & generous package from KFJM for TEST. I finally got around to verifying XEG CHML WWSW WQAM, also WMT, which finally made it through the heavy WRTH/KXOK slopover at mon 1/8. 73.

Fred Nordquist - 2001 North Wingo Road - Tulsa, Oklahoma - 74116

Salutations! Domestic DX has been good lately. Here are this month's veries: WVNA KTLN CJME-DX CKCK WGNE-TEST WILS KFRM KXEN WXOK KPAC KQAQ. The VJ Log is tops! I am presently experimenting w/loop, using rotor lead framed around door. It is 3x8' w/8 turns & 4 taps & tuned link. Sounds crazy, but it works despite mobilehome limitations. Still no more luck on Jan. MM Specials. Totals: 366/87 w/59 points in Domestic Contest. Down to DX: 1/3- CFRN-1260 2am w/NX, KOIL-1290 3am, no KGVO heard, KNEZ-960 not heard either. 1/10- Missed KFJM KASK KALF TESTs due to alarm clock troubles, hi. However, WABR & WLYN tried but not heard. 750, unID 4:51am w/religious mx, who? WKIX-850 5:20 w/Bob Kelly, WSPA-950 5:26 w/Crossroads Quartet, WINZ-940 5:40 w/mx. 1/15- XEVO-860 1:33am w/EE ID, KXEN-1010 1:37 ET w/50db-S9! WXOK-1460 2:10 w/jazz & they sent photocopy of my report for verie. Steve Weinstein: WAIL is on WXOK's old frequency. KPAC-1250 2:30 w/ET/TT & Tijuana Brass LP, WMOC-1450 3:14, KAMO-1390 12:55pm. 1/16- CKLG-730 2:28am w/telephone calls, WPTR-1540 2:38, KAKC off, KQAQ-970 3:21am w/Sen. Dirksen satire, KRYS-1360 3:30am w/no WPPA DX heard. 1/20- KABH-1510 6:55pm w/NX WX SSB s/off @ 7pm. 1/21- KLOL-1530 11:19am w/rr heard all day here, KCCV-1510 11:22am, KWHN-1320 noon, KAWA-1010 6:18pm w/c/w mx, KAMD-910 6:26pm, KOB-770 directional @ 7:15pm. 1/24- KNOW/KBON-1490 3:57am, KGBS o/KDKA OC 4:39am w/c/w mx, CHML-900 5am in good as usual, WCRK-1150 5:13, WQOK-1440 5:20, WKEW-1520 5:22 w/school closings, WHIO-1290 5:37, (P.5)

(F. Nordquist) WFBM-1260 5:39, WMAZ-940 5:50 w/farm NX. Those MMs after 5am are DX "gold mines"! The EC s/ons are like shooting beans in a basket. My Draft Board physical is coming up 3/3, hi! I'm trying for engineering in OCS or OTC. Happy DX & sleepless MMs. 73.

Sheldon Miller - 840 80 Street - Miami Beach, Florida - 33141

1/31, the MM w/bad WX from Canada to Miami, had interesting domestic DX. WWDC-1260 Washington ANed & told of Friendship Airport being swamped by 15" of snow. Harrisburg, Pa. must have had it rough, as WHP-580 & WCMB-1460 stayed on AN w/snow emergency and school closings. Many others stayed on for WX coverage, like WDEL-1150 WAUC-1310 Fla. WCBG-1590 Chambersburg, Pa. who were reported since signal was way o/WAKR. A vast net of CBCers was heard, including CBK-540, CBE-690 CBR-1010 for first Alka. here, & CBD-1110 w/WBT silent until 4am. Also, CBC-1050, was this CJIC or CEGP? I need both so tentative off to each. Anyone know which carries CBC? Help will be appreciated. WILS-1320 Mich. noted after 4am w/good signals. WNEL-1430 P.R. s/on noted, SSB, 3:57:30. Ernie, HJDZ-1082 does verify, v/l & colorful pennant. Only verie this week is KFDA-1440 Tex. for r/c, & station's GM says he appreciates & welcomes reports. On 1450k. this morning, w/WSKP taking a rare breather, I noted short ID of WVON & WTPG, just about my best graveyarders. A final question: Does anyone know of a rule against stations in Alaska & Hawaii about 1500k? I can't believe no one wants such stations. 73. Ron Schatz - Box 5308 South - University of Florida - Gainesville, Florida - 32601

Greetings from tropical Florida, where the temperature in Gainesville dropped to 17° on 1/31! Still one of the warmest spots in the nation, though. Gordon Nelson: My Musing of 12/18 was no more "misleading" than yours of 1/15 was confusing. Just saying that I erred a bit would have been sufficient. But to undo the damage: the "jammers" that some NRCers have been reporting heard on 690, etc. are not jammers but hetrodynes caused by LAs slightly off frequency. The only jammers that are heard by most DXers are on 710, 870, 1140, 1157-1165, 1180 & 1600. Any DXer who manages to recognize jammers on such frequencies as 1196 & 719 should be experienced enough to be able to differentiate by ear between a hat & a jammer. Re my unIDs on 735 & 1065, "Loop says Ecuador" does not necessarily mean I am certain the station is in that country, for common sense indicates as well such locations as Cuba, Colombia, Peru, & the South Pacific. However, only Ecuadorians are listed for those frequencies, so probabilities can be logically drawn. It wasn't worth pushing this thing too far - who ever definitely IDa an unID? At least your third question doesn't hurt! I say that my OCon 737 is Iceland rather than RIAS oe Warszawa because (1) the loop pointed roughly 5° E of Iceland rather than into Central Europe & because (2) all other Germans & Poles still coming in at that late hour showed bearings consistent w/their respective locations within about 30°. Also (3), the signal definitely did not come from a CA or any other station to the S, going by nature of its quality & the mess it caused to Barcelona after 2am. So much for plucking hairs. No one came to the New Year's get-together in Miami, & I was ready for the possibility of such a fiasco, considering not enough time was prepared for announcements. Thanks, anyway, Ernie, for the front-lage ad; it was worth it. I hope it won't ever happen to any of our Conventions, hi! Station KONO-860 in San Antonio is taking collect calls from distant listeners. Tune in for details, for you have to be more distant than the last caller. Russ Edmunds: Avoid the VJ Cuban list - it lies. More next time, as I'm nearing 30. Good DX to all. (You don't look a day over 25, Ron -hi.)

George Junak - 1820 North Villa Rica Avenue - Pasadena, California - 91107

Dig new address, hi. Phone is: 213 798-5789. Save it as it's UNLISTED. I heard KFIF for the first time yesterday (1/29) @ 7:21pm EST for about ten minutes. They're using the "Boss Radio" slogan now also. KDON has gone rr & KGBS switched from Album to Town & Country. DX would be better but usually I get pop, crackle, & all that rot from some lights in the kitchen. I have a new tape recorder; Arvin, up to 7" reels, mono, two track, 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ & 7.5 IPS. I will tapespond w/anyone if he sends first tape. I may start getting veries again. Total is still 54 & it was that about a year ago, hi. KTOT is still coming in well @ about 7pm daily now. SC total at 421. SCers: Please write me if I don't correspond w/you. Unlimited supply of: WSGN KBLA KEAP KREO KNEZ KGFJ KHJ KRLA KWKW KIST KIMN WHOO WBSR WNVY KORL KCRG WJAR WESO KENO WHOT KCRC KFLY KIMM KAYC KOVO KNAK KISN WISM CKLG CKWS "Radio Sveriges" & many others. Many rare ones too. Write me for list, SCs, etc. & send your list. I give Green Stamps, hi. KRLA turns power from 50kw. to 10 @ 8pm. Well, 73 & best DX to all. 73.

REPORTED!

AS THEY SAY IN HANOVER? NH, "WDGR." This is DX NEWS, "WHERE WONDERFUL DX CATCHES are

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Michael Silvera - 5 Trenton Avenue - Kingston 8, Jamaica

Hello there - freezing, everybody? The night of 1/30 here was a mild 68° F, even Sheldon Miller had about 300. Only strong winds which snapped an XR element @ 2:30 that curtailed all DX that MM. DX here not too bad considering I am still using the S-120. Recent verids: EBRY ENBC WHKY WILS WMQM WJRD WTGR & R: Belize. All the foreign ones in IDXD. Here's my U.S. & Canada DX. 12/27- WAMS-1380 w/r/c u/WLCY till 12:10am. CBL atop CBX-740 @ 1am, the latter for a new province. KSTP-1500 * 3:16am very weak u/HON. 1/6- WHYY-1440 @ 1:20am w/rr u/XELZ. WIRE-1430 w/brief ID-through KELI @ 4:05. 1/7- CBK-540 @ 2:20am for new province. 1/12- WBAP-570 @ 12:04, poor. I have heard only WFAA till then on numerous occasions. MM 1/17- I heard KFBK-1530 1:10-2:04am for Calif. #2. WGLI-1290 gave ID @ 2:30 w/somebody testing w/c/w mx, who? Also FF-1280 @ 2:40, believe CJMS. Anybody know for sure? (Both CJMS & CKCV are AN-FF, Mike -ERC) WXOK-1460 Baton Rouge @ 3:32am, ruining all chances of CJOT-DX. 1/31- I noted CBC on 1010, believed CBR, Edmonton. 2/1- I got one ID from KCBS-740 San Francisco u/CBL @ 4 am. School cuts down DX considerably, so mainly confined to MMs & Wednesday AMs. Incidentally I heard WYSE-1560-DX but due to postal service, I had only 11/27 DX NEWS on hand so I reported them as WYFE. They probably never got it. Daniel Burstein of NY, your 760 R. Reloj is WORA Mayaguez PR. 750, the one here is HJDK, La Voz de Antioquia, Medellin, belongs to Caracol Network which uses slogan "los primeros con las ultimas" before & after NXcasts. Also the EE on 750 is JBC, Port Maria. 1090 I would say HJBC La Voz de Cucuta. Incidentally Ernie, your SS-1460 noted as late as 3am o/the Christmas holidays was HJAL, Radio Sincelojo. Robert Bruhns, your AN SS-1505 12/27 was HJHX La Voz Panamericana, Floridablanca. Watch out for many LAs on late during Carnivals second & third week in February. Also many are off Easter weekend like HJAY-1580 etc. Latter went off the air Friday @ midnight & returned Sunday evening. That's all for now, & watch out for the Yankees in '66. Till next time, 73.

Steve Bezilla - 307 Second Avenue - Osceola Mills, Pennsylvania - 16666

Bit of DX goes like this: 1/22- WXUR-690 Pa. 4:30-4:40pm w/WELD/CBF in back. WKAN-1320 Ill. 5:20pm. 1/23- WFIF-1500 Conn. w/road CX & closings, s/off 4:45pm. WBER-950 SC, ads for country records, 5:20pm. I wonder how many DXers tried for late evening broadcasts from daylight stations.. WPHB-1260 Phillipsburg, Pa. s/off @ 9:30pm on 1/30. On 1/31 they s/off @ 11pm. Their S s/off is 5:15pm. WBFD-1310 Bedford, Pa. were on late on 1/30, WCPA-900 Clearfield, Pa. RS Jan. s/on 7:45am, came on the air 5:30 on 1/31. On 2/1 they s/on @ 6:30 am for local school closings & other emergency. Henry T. Tyndall Jr., I have five EKKO stamps I didn't buy (10¢ ones sent to me for good reports I guess, hi), from WNBH WJKS WJBY WQEX WRDW. Richard Pashley, your WGLD could be WGLB-1560 in Port Washington, Wis. Ralph Johanne, I'm w/you 100%, all ANs should have one night off. Maybe all DX Clubs could get together on this & on a certain date barrage the FCC w/letters & cards from every member. All stations testing should ID, too. Bye now.

Stan Morse - route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

Verie from CKCN leaves seven Quebecs unverified. 1/31- WHMC-1150 Gaithersburg, Md. AN o/WDEL, both for storm. Spaniard on 1223 gave list of about 50 stations @ 1:30. WKAP-1320 AN storm show. WBT-1110 off AN, CRD on top. CHCY?-950 Sydney, NS AN u/KIMN & equal to WBBF w/phone interviews & asking for calls. Only gave call once in i/an hour & that was musical ID so not sure it is's correct. (CHER, Stan -ERC) WLAN-1390 AN for storm, also WEST-100. No WJJZ 2/1. I think your 1024 SS is EAJB-1025, strong here past three MMs as late as 4:30am.

Richard C. Goldfinger - Tatomuck Road - Pound Ridge, New York - 10576

Hi! I am a High School sophomore & have been interested in BCB DX for about a year & a half, but only recently have hit the "old DX trail" hard. I have 25/33 states heard /verified, 3/7 provinces H/V, & about 5/30 countries H/V. Right now I am mainly interested in Canadian & domestic DX. Recent DX includes: KSL-1160 12/27, CBN-640 2/2 5:30 pm, KOMA-1520 1/17, KGBS-1020 12/20 3:20am. I haven't been able to get in much DXing lately because of midterms but now that they are over I should be able to fasten up my log. I'd like to correspond w/nearly anyone on DXing, so please feel free to write. Oh yeah, upon reading I see I forgot the times on KSL & KOMA. They are 1am & 2:20am, respectively. 73. (Welcome to the NRC, Richard, & we hope you Muse often! -ERC)

Robert Feulner - 17305 70 Court - Tinley Park, Illinois

It's been several issues since my name has appeared in DX NEWS, so for the benefit of our newer members I feel I should re-introduce myself. I am a freshman at Bradley(P.7)

(Robert Feulner) Bradley University (Peoria, Ill.), & next March will be starting my fifth year as an NRC member. My RX is a Zenith table model, which has five tubes & a newly installed interference filter. Totals are 1010/400, w/my best catch being Agadir-935. I also have around 300 Cms. Anyone wishing to trade Cms for a WIRL SC, or anything else, please write. My Peoria address is Box 119, 1307 West Bradley Avenue. This Musing is being written at home while on my semester break, & it really feels good to be back at the dials. 1/1- I heard KLPM-1390 Minot, ND s/off @ 1:05 u/local WNUS. I caught the ID of KEYD-1220 Oakes, ND on f/c @ 3am. I listened to an OC on 1220 for the next half hour, but no IDs heard. Glad to hear KEYD though, as I have yet to hear them on SSS. At 3:25 I noticed some dopover coming from 1230k & expected it to be local WJOB. Instead, it turned out to be KTRF, Thief River Falls, Minn. on a test. They played polka mx & IDed @ 3:32 & 4:06. I am glad I managed to get WKLO & WOAP verified, for the new WNNI-1080 really booms in. The other night around 10:00, I was using my telephone as an antenna w/my transistor radio, & noticed some very strange effects. On 790k, I was quite surprised to hear KFYO Lubbock, Tex. & KGHL, Billings, Mont. fighting each other, while at the same time on my Zenith, all I could hear was WTAR/WMC. I have never heard KFYO before, & I had always assumed that KGHL could be heard only on a MW. Using the same set-up during the daytime, I notice that WNNP-1590 & WEEF-1430 which are both directional away from this area come in so good it would seem they are non-directional. Also, on 800k, KXIC Iowa City can be heard w/no QRM, while at the same time on the Zenith, only WKZI & CKLW can be heard. This whole situation has me perplexed, so any explanation would be appreciated. Latest veries include WNNI KPRO KVOR KFIF & WJMS. The "Information Survey" is quite interesting, as are Gordon Nelson's fine articles. Well, 73s & good DX.

Gray Scrimgeour - 1105 Virginia Way - La Jolla, California - 92037

We all had a good time at the Santa Barbara BCB DX get-together on 1/28-30. Those attending were Larry Godwin of Berkeley, Art Peterson of San Pablo, Jon Clark from Palo Alto, John T. Arthur of San Jose, Bob Coomler from San Luis Obispo, & Randy Seaver & myself from down here. We noticed that KOER-910 is now SS programming. The only DX was on Larry's car radio on SM - KAIM & KHVH. Other activities were a trip to Solvang (a Danish village N of SB), a visit to KACL for some, listening to tapes, & of course gabbing & eating! The KGHO-1560 TEST was heard easily in LJ; thanks to Sam Johnson for the warning note. TOS seem to be creeping up in signal strength again; mostly the Asian Mainland. Pyongyang has drifted up a few kc/s. & is about 877-plus right now. This outlet is heard well before 655k is audible, & almost an hour before the 835k Chinese station fades into audibility (about 4:10am on 2/3). Gordon, maybe you can deduce a general location from some fade in measurements I'm making on 835k. No, Leo, I'm not Sun Yat Sen's grandson; I'm his grandfather! Recent veries from KGHO KBRC. KDEO-910 has been off a few times lately on MM, so KALL ET on 1/31 at 5:18 reported. KISN testing at the same time. Why are the Hawaiian stations so hard to verify? My last four reports have been overlooked. In fact, only 8/17 there. 73.

Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014

Well, here be me again! Much DX per usual, I must be getting as bad as Steve! 1/30- WILK-980, another Pa. 1/31, no school, KVOO-1170 very clear @ 1:30, KOA-850 finally noted on top for report @ 2am s/off, & WSUN-620 reading reports from Cal, @ 3am. 2/1, no school again. WFIF-1500 @ 5:30pm s, off, WROC-1280 o/WADO @ 5:36, & WHLL-1600 w/no WEEZ spread! @ 5:54. On 2/2, I found the way to get rid of WEEZ, at least to an S-5, WBBA-1580 @ 6:15am on a f/c, & WVKO-1580 @ 5:45pm. 2/3- WEND-1580 another Pa. @ 5:45 pm s/off. Really more veries in, total 248 in 38 states w/these: WHBC-1480, two v/qe, WMNA-730 v/1 & CM, WBOC-960 v/1, WHEB-750 v/q for NH #2, & WILK-980 v/q. I just sent for WJ Log, old one in 500 pieces, hi. How to verify in Alaska - put Leo on a dog sled w/five drunk huskies & send it to the front door of KFQD w/nde attached, "Please answer reports as you're the only chance for Alaska." Save your firewater, Leo, I can't use it (yet!) Wanna help WSPD answer quicker? Call person to person & YOU pay for the call! Many ANers on 1/31 due to snow. They were WDOV-1410 WKAP-1320 WBOC-960 WDEL-1150 WCAU-1210 WHP-580 & WCMB-1460. Who is CBC u/KFAB w/WBT off? (CBD -ERC) Also so, something that might work on WDOV. I have an uncle who lives two miles from WDOV's four tower XR site, so next time I go down, I'm calling up & going to see someone or something about reports. It may help, so keep your fingers crossed. 73 & see you next week.

LET'S KEEP THE MUSING'S COMING, BOYS! REMEMBER OUR DEADLINE IS EVERY TUESDAY. THIRTY LINES MAXIMUM PER MUSE. PLEASE GIVE DATE-TIME-KILOCYCLES!

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Dan Burstein - 57-10 225 Street O Bayside, New York - 11364

Although DX has been at a complete standstill, I thought I'd report, anyhow. First, thanks for the info, Ernie. One question though: if I sent out a report to an LA station about one month ago & if it was sent to the wrong address, wouldn't the letter be returned? I've run into some technical problems w/my rx, a Hallicrafters S-120. I used to keep the loopstick outside the cabinet. The coil of wire on the loopstick was accidentally cut, & the wire unwound. Thus, I'll be writing the Hallicrafters Co. for a new loopstick. It'll probably cost about \$2. On the positive side, I've just installed a 105' longwire antenna, which runs NE/SW & N/S. It has held up well, despite the high winds & snow blizzards which have made life interesting in these parts, hi. My problem now is to connect the antenna to the set. As for a ground, I connect a wire from the ground attachment in the set to the metal screw on the electrical outlet. I think that to get best use of my longwire, I will need a loop antenna. Can anyone pass along plans for a good one? I would also like to know where I can find a good Q-multiplier, & how I would hook one to my RX. I haven't been too successful at receiving stations on split frequencies, so I want to give my RX a boost. Tomorrow I will begin my upper freshman semester at Queens College, so I won't have too much time for experiments. I just hope schoolwork won't eliminate my DXing. I really believe that sometime between now & 7/4 I will finally log KFI. Ah, those pipedreams. That's it, & 73s.

Jeff Ross - 125-12 Cronston Avenue - Rockaway Park, New York - 11694

Hi fellows. The CX the past few weeks haven't been too good, but I managed to log a few new ones. 1/20- WCBG-1590 @ 5:14pm. WABY-1400 @ 5:23, & YND-675 @ 10:30 w/ very strong signals. 1/22- WIOO-1000 (finally) @ 4:58pm s/off, WHWB-1000 @ 5:01 s/off. They didn't verify my first report, so I'll try again. WENC-1220 @ 5:10pm. 1/23- WEZY-1350 @ 1:30am. 1/31- WNCG-910 @ 6am s/on. I had hoped to be up this past MM (1/31) but the craziest thing happened. In my sleep I must have hit the alarm clock w/my arm, because upon awakening at 6:00 (crazily enough), I found it on the floor; of course w/the alarm turned off! Back to DX. 2/1- WHCU-870 @ 5:20pm, WWOL-1120 @ 5:30. Bill Alisauskas, today (2/1) at 5:30pm, I also heard your rr station of 1580 w/CST. I couldn't make out the ID. This week has brought no veries at all. How do you like that? I have another pair of questions: A number of people have told me the HQ-180 is noted to have a lot of trouble from images. Is that true? Second, when is the best time to look for 4WV-1325 D. Schmidt: WPAC I believe doesn't verify. Two reports failed to bring a reply. WHLM verified promptly w/a nice letter. Try sending to Mr. Anthony F. Hogg, CE. I guess I've said enough, so 73s & good DX. (4WV is easiest Mon. nights w/WPOW & WEVD silent).

Vinny Cavaseno - 111-20 124 Street - South Ozone Park, New York - 11420

Hi fellow members. DX has been sparse during Dec., a little better in Jan. Veries poor for both months. 12/27- KFJZ-1270 @ 2:22am, KWIZ-1480 w/KBOX-1480 @ 2:55, taped report sent, no reply; unID TT w/mx on 1510 from 3:32-4:05, WCHB-1440 4:20, CKNB-950 s/on @ 4:58am. 1/3- KOB copied, KCTX-1510 f/c in very well @ 2:10am, CKRM-980 @ 3:47. 1/6, day: WANN-1190 ID @ 12:30pm w/WLIB nulled, WDOS-730 4:30pm, first time here at home, WPIK till 5:14 s/off. Then WMNA after 5:15 s/off of WPIT. 1/8- WGOE-1590 ET @ 1:43am. 1/10- SSS, WDSL-1520 @ 5:20; WCOV-1170 @ 6pm u/WWVA. 1/11- WVPO-840 @ 4:23pm 1/12- WCEC-810 @ 5:30pm s/off, Unn WCAW-680 @ 5:40 power change; unn KWMT-540 @ 6:05, & the surprise of the night, CHOK-1070 which hasn't been heard here since 9/2/62, 3 1/2 years. 1/17- Copy on KDON, CKKW-1320. 1/20- WCXI-1310 f/c 1:40-1:50am; WBS-1360 f/c w/ID @ 2am; unn WDRC-1360 f/c ending @ 2:16. All f/cs were TTs. Much later that day, XEWA-540 @ 11:25 w/mention of call letters; HJKA-540 Bogota (is this the right one?) w/XERA looped. 1/27- KOA-850 coming in very nicely at midnight, so naturally a report sent. 1/31- KVOO-1170 copy from 12:45 to 1am s/off; WDAY-970 w/ID squeaking through @ 2am s/off u/WWSW; WHMC-1150 on for snow storm @ 2:08; KLIF-1190 2:26. KLIF finally made it through the 40w relay which is the dominant occupant of 1190 on MMs; CBD-1110 ID @ 3:24 w/WBT off; WCUB-980 Monitowoc, Wis. 3:32-3:51 f/c. WCUN came in quite well w/the loop aimed NW, considering all the ANers on 980. CKGM-980 3:50am. 2/1- KFVS-960 f/c 1:04am, WFHG-980 f/c @ 2:15. Veries: WGHQ WRRC (for 250w. non-DA reception on 11/19) WAIT CHOK KDON. Auf Wiedersehen, Mein Freunden (und Freundinnen, of any are reading.)

Wayne Heinen - 126 Linwood Avenue - Orchard Park, New York - 14127

Hi all, from the Land of the Two-Day School Week. Due to the white stuff & high winds there was no school 1/31, 2/1 & 2/2. It took three days to clear out the roads in the sticks. DX: 1/29- I copied the new WIXY-1260 w/rr from 4:13-4:35am which indicated 4am s/on or AN but I think it is a 4am s/on. 1/31- Hurray, a MM but still w/the Pro. (P.9)

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(Wayne Heinen) I noted AN for the snow WCBG-1590, WBTA-1490, WCAU-1210, WKAP-1320 WCMB-1460. Ralphie says WBOC-960 also. At 1:30am noted unkn WVKO-1580 on ET/TT. Many unID TTs this AM, also very much static. 3-3:33am intermittent copy on KPRM-1240 DX w/WBAX-WEDC-WINN & who knows making a mess of the frequency. AM of 2/1 I copied WSGO-1440 on w/emergency broadcast till 12:59am. Oswego got (hold on) 102" & that's fact. 2/1*PM-WCPC-940 i/u CBM till 6:45pm s/off. HJAC-1130 Emisora Riomar on 1135 for good report on 2/1 & today 2/4 from 11:23pm-12:02am s/off, reports off. Colombian #2. 2/2-AM-WTVB-1590 r/c-TT @ 1am o/WAKR/WISZ. At 1:30 I logged WFLI-1070 on r/c-M. At 1:45, I went to log WISZ way o/WAKR on 1590. WUFO-1080 in Buffalo said they will veri all reports, when mine comes back I'll let you know. D. Schmidt, try a PP to WWHG if all else fails. All DX on 2/2 was on the RBB-4. New veries: v/qz WKOP-1360-DX WING-1410 WJR-760 R. Americas, Lisbon-665. v/l- WBY-1230. Lisbon veried for "6025k. @ 1:56-2:17 on 12/29/65." My report was for 665k, 11:56pm-12:17am on 12/29. I shall count this until I report them again. ERC, any luck w/755 yet? If not I'll send you one of their "Report Forms," hi! (Report still out -ERC) In VJ's delete CHIC-1090 & add WBNB-1000 as they aren't listed. Totals are now 437/180, provinces 7/7, countries 19/7, states 41/34. All people NOTICE, WSPD's telephone line is open 2:30-2:55am at Toledo, Cherry 8-6405. All people can call collect. See you all in Montreal (it rhymes!)

Ralph M. Johans - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo, New York - 14203

V/1, CM & pictures, WJBY-930, Gadsden BC, Box 1370, Gadsden, Ala. v/l's 1/26/66 @ 3:42 am f/c-TT @ WJBY was originally at 1240k (so is my '45 v/l) from 1928-54 when it went silent; Charles F. Boman (now CM of WJBY-930) started work at WJBY when he was 16, then to Navy Service, & when he returned sent to WSAD; then bought WETO in '63 & changed calls to his first love, WJBY, fixed station & also has an FM pending. XR tower is 300 feet & only has intermittent tests. s/on 5am EST (SM 7am). Miss ex-older 1240k Jeffie Mielke, Secy-Bkpr/CCA/Dir, remembers William Pigg, then CE, very well. Above is a very interesting v/l etc. by Calvin Williamson, CE. 2/3- Report to WHKY-1290 w/test-call @ 4:03am (KOIL/WIRL Co.) then SSB s/on 4:06 etc, good till WHIO s/on 4:58 3/4 AM. WBNB s/on 5:28am. 2/2, I had @ 4am, CJBC-860, while CBL-740 was OC; 630 had CBCer (no call), CJCO/WPRO/CKRC, CFCY maybe the CBCer. Second report to WPHB-1260 on 1/31 when @ 5:29 WFBM IDs @ 5:30, WWYN, Erie s/on, then came in WPHB to 5:45 etc. Next, KPRM-1240-DX (u/WBAX/WEDC) 3-3:33am TT w/two calls heard, later a no call TTer, earlier took WBOC Salisbury Md. AN-Storm, while here, 18" of snow & howling 51mph blizzard. The KWKY-960 (notified too late for DX NEWS) Farmington NM, 3:30-3am f/c & rest of BCB was nulled by snowstorm, even Wayne Heinen's school was closed four days. I believe Stan J. drinks too much Dr. P. stuff & so writes 25 letters to one station! Fire 2/2 in Trumbull Conn destroyed a building w/WJZZ-FM (WICC's) & WSNU of S.M. University. 2/1, I heard r/c-TT of KWRF-860 but quit @ 1:56am, believe KONO (off Tues.) TTed after; a poor TTer on 630 w/WPRO AN noted, 2:10-2:26; r/c-TT by KEYD-1220 (that femme voice) strong 2:30-3; no talk-960 TTer (u/CHNS AN) 3:15-3:32 etc. (Does it often!) 2/6-SM- r/c-TT KCII-1380 had OK TT but poor voice. KWK AN strong & WBNX-SS poor. During it was CKPC RS to 1:10 s/off. 1180 (WHAM SM off) had WHAM Tting to 2:02 s/off, then a Cuban jammer. 970 had no-call TT to 2:14 (local WEBR goes to bed @ 2am) then WWSW/CKCH while WJRZ didn't show till 2:47. 960 had that pest-TT again 3:15 etc. KNBR-680 in like a local & KFI topped Castro. 620 strong CKCK/WSUN. 610, (CKTB s/off) WIP & ?? there, temperature was 4°. Wayne H. & C. Rader made a winter excursion to Buffalo but missed me & so didn't see DX NEWS as I got mine Sat. AM, nice going RHC & your Sweetie-Pie! JWB's groundhog saw his shadow, so 73s now.

Russ Edmunds - Box 77 - 303 Stadium Place - Syracuse, New York - 13710

Hello again. Well as of 2/4, I'll be back at school after a return delayed by snow. Among my latest acquisitions is a Sprague line-noise filter, which is a filter to end all filters. Here's hoping it works! In addition to all else, my log reveals a few omissions in listings: My 501st logging was WOK-690 Birmingham for Ala. #1, not enough for report of 6pm 1/24 s/off. Heard r/c of ???-1050 Pa. u/WHN. I counted it but didn't log it into my main log. So far 98 stations this season, 54 since 1/7. Is my 930 TTer WBNB or WIZR? My 950 TT might be the new Stephenville outlet near by Stan Morss asking for collect ponce calls. I guess I'll try again this week! I see WCHB-1440 is AN-6, VJ has 'em day only, so check that. Visit to DC area 1/26-28 yielded visits to WINX-1600 & WMAL-630. Speaking of DC, I wish WOL-1450 would verie. 2/3, I called WSLT to see why no veries yet. CE said he'd check w/Mr. Keene, who did the program. WSGO-1440 will do a DX in early March after they get dug out from 9' of snow. More on that)P.10)

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(Russ Edmunds) later. Since I was last home, WWRL seems stronger nights! And since I left S.U. 1/25, we've had 5' of snow. Anybody w/an HRO-50, I've got a schematic of it. Anyone wishing a Portuguese report form, send an SASE. That's all for now, C U in 7. (How about enclosing one in your next Musing, Russ, hi -ERC)

Rich Gula - 56 Sears Street - Middletown, Connecticut - 06457

Hi guys. It's been a long time - sorry - but school work is impossible this year, & DX has been extremely limited. Also, w/stations harder to come by, things have slowed down considerably o/last year's pace. Anyway, here's DX for the last three months: 12/6- WCIO-1230 r/c @ 2:15am, WMQM-1480 TEST heard well, WAEB-790 @ 4:13pm, WNAE-1310 @ 4:35pm. 12/7- CBD-1110 @ 5:14pm. 12/26- WDAE-1250 @ 5:01am. 12/27-MM-WVOC-1500 TEST, heard TT, no IDs; KHOW-630 AN, CBU-690 heard CBC stuff u/CBF, must be they - who else, @ 2:23am. WIGS-1230-DX good u/TT. 12/28- WIRK-1290 @ 12:30am. 12/31- CHUC-1450 @ 12:01 s/off. 1/12- WRAN-1510 @ 5pm. 1/14- WNEL-1430 @ 5:10am, WIVV-1370 @ 4:30 s/on MM 1/17- KXLR-1150 @ 1:22am. 1/22- WGLE-1570 @ 5:31pm. 1/23- WARD/WMRF-1490 @ 12:05 am, WKJR-1520 @ 12:17 r/c-TT u/WKEW. 1/23- KBAT-680 @ 2:07am s/off, WKMI-1360 AN. 1/24-MM- WTON-1240 r/c. 1/25- WNCA-1570 @ 5pm. 1/29- WTGR-1520 @ 5:07pm as I missed their TEST, KSWs-1020 (1/31) @ 1:03am, then I went to sleep. I got up the next AM & found not no school - rats. 2/2- WDOE-1410, WLBj-1410 @ 6:15pm. 2/3- WCNW-1560 6:12pm announcing power as 1,000w. KYND-1580 Tempe, Ariz. finally, after two years of trying, in from 8-8:15pm s/off. 2/5- KCII-1380 r/c @ 1:13am. That's it. Nothing really great save KYND. Eric Nelson, I am finally getting the mechanical filter for the HE-30; I hope it helps. I have been monitoring 1580 lately - I hear lots of SSB s/offs, but no IDs, drat. No veries have come in - no reports out - that's the reason. Best DX catches have been those China receptions by our own dynamic duo, Ben & Gordon. Nice going. I hope to be Musing more often from now on. MM DX just isn't the same any more. I have trouble hearing the easy WCers, howcum? Ernie, did you ever get my mug shot? Fell lucky if you didn't, hi. 73 for now & good DX. (I got it & many thanks! -ERC)

Greg Senko - 111 Forest Avenue - West Long Branch, New Jersey - 07764

Hi. Good week this time, pulling in two more states & my first TA. 1/20- WKSC-1300, SC, @ 4:29am, WIST-1240 NC, @ 4:51; WPFb-910, O. @ 5:30; WOKY-920 Wis. @ 5:51; WGBI-910 Pa. @ 6am. MM 1/31, school was closed on account of the snow, & I was able to get in my most productive morning yet. CKEY-590, Ont. @ 1:31am; BBC-881 Walsn Home Service, Wales, for my first TA 1:45-2:15; WDEL-1150, Del. @ 2:37am, state #35, completing all states E of the Mississippi; WARD-1490 Pa. @ 2:47am; WEEL-1310, Va. @ 3:04; KFJZ-1270, Tex. @ 3:12; WFBM-1260 Ind. @ 3:19, WWDC-1260 3:22, KGBS-1020 Cal. @ 4am, state #36, & first WCer; WWOK-1480, NC @ 4:35am. 2/2- WBVM-1550 NY @ 5:06pm; WSRO-1470 Mass. 5:10 pm, WJWL-900 Del. @ 5:45pm s/off. After trying for all this time to get one from Del., I get two within three days! 2/3- WWBZ-1360 NJ @ 5:06pm; WASA-1330 Md. @ 5:45pm s/off. 2/4- WBAZ-1550 NY @ 5pm. Total heard, 449. v/q- WLBZ. Ernie, you must love self-torture, but since you have asked for pictures, I have enclosed a shot of me & my best friend, the Loop, hi. Until next week, I shall say 73s & the best of DXing to all. (Thanks for the fine snap, Greg! -ERC)

Geoff Trower - Lewes House - Natal Road - Brighton 7, Sussex, England

A distinct drop has occurred in TA reception here, logging new stations is getting difficult. 1/15- CHER-950 new in Sydney, NS on air 12/21, uses slogan "Cheer Radio" in fair u/o CKNB/WLOF/WPEN. 1/18- XEAL-1320 @ 3am very loud for listed 1,000w. 1/29- WNUS-1390 o/WFBL, a sign of above average CX. Up on 1320 I heard WILS at same time, 2 am, but not enough for report. 1/30- Radio Turen, Venezuela ruining 1410 for U.S. above everything except WPOP. I tried for WPPA-1360-DX, heard tones @ 3:32 below "Cocktails for Two", no ID on either. Veries in from WHIE, first U.K. report, KAAy for State #35, WIRK CHER. Reports out & overdue from CFOR CKPC WGHQ & others, a f/up broughtv/1 from WFEL-1400. The 1/1 issue of DX NEWS arrived here 1/31, a record of some sort I should think. That clears a poor three week period, hope things improve in Spring. 73.

Bob Pietsch - 10 Milland Drive, #A1 - Mill Valley, California - 94941

Latest Musing from this DX Den shows the following new logs: 1/9- CKRD-850 3:27am like a local, Alta. #16, only six more to complete province, not including LPRTs. 1/23- WLDS-1180 8:15am u/WHAM, KHIL/XEDL-1250 about even 8:30am. I've been into the bad habit of sleeping through alarms on MMs, something I don't want to do too often during the winter season. Don K., your idea about a get-together at the Hotel sounds great! I hope you can swing it! Veries of late: CKYL-610 v/q for NNRC DX, CJDV-910, CKSB-1050 KMPC-710 v/q, CKRD-850 v/q, KTRB-860 v/q (eight months) CJOC-120. Totals 591/363. I hope to have a little more to report next time around. 73s.

Alex McNeil - 206 Greylock Apts. - Swarthmore, Pennsylvania - 19081

Time for my semi-annual contribution to these pages. DX has been non-descript, highlighted by KFJM. My thanks to the CPC for lining it up. The KFJM verie came; they sent quite a packet! The new VJ Log is a terrific help, but I've noticed a few errors: KEEN-1370 was left out; WANN-970 Va. should be, I think, WANV; move Swan@1165 to 1157; then, does anybody know if the following stations, left out of VJ-3, have been deleted? CHRS-1090, St. Jean, Que., WHZN-1300 (ex-WHTT) Hazleton, Pa.; WMLP-1380 Milton, Pa. (Only WHZN is deleted -ERC) I know it's a hard job to keep a log like that up to date, & I think Vane Jones has done a great job. Lastly, does anybody know who s/off @ 5:45 in Feb. on 1280 w/Lord's Prayer? Also, who had ET-1580 1/31 between 2:30 & 2:33. I missed the ID. Is WTIL the ANer on 1300 in SSS? (Yes-ERC) That's about it from one of the only schools in the U.S. w/3% of its seniors in the NRC! 73.

Richard M. Daniel Jr. - 110 Harvard Avenue - Swarthmore, Pennsylvania - 19081

DX has been good here lately. I get new stations nearly every time I turn on the RX. I got the new VJ Log. It's quite a change from the first edition I was using. Now to DX: 1/24- 5pm, WCDL-1440 s/off, then @ 5:15 unID s/off w/Dixie on 1360. 1/26- 4:35pm, WJAS-1320; 5:21 WRIC-540, 5:29 WYNN-540. 1/28- 1:21pm, WBIC-540 for #12 on 540. 1/30- 7:05pm, WBOC-960 operating w/daytime power & radiation due to snow. They were AN. 1/31-MM- 12:32 WCGC-1270 s/off w/singing Lord's Prayer; 12:41 KFJZ-1270, 1:30 KOB-770 rough behind WABC ET/TT but good log until 2:05. 2:30, unID KIMN-950 real strong. 2:37 WCOS-1400. 2/2- 5:29am, WOSC-1300 s/off. 5:31, WWCH-1300, 5:42 WSUX-1280. Veries rather slow this week. v/q- WKOP-1360-DX CBL-740 WVNJ-620 WIBC-1070, & v/package from KFJM-TEST. I wish WSLT & WPYB would send out veries for their Specials. They are two of my long outstanding reports. Another is KIMN. Anybody have a recent verie from them? I have sent two long reports w/no answer. Another due soon! 73s to all.

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The latest news here is that Keyser, W.Va. now has a new station. It is WKLP & operates on 1390k w/a power of 1,000w. The Potomac Broadcasting Co. bought the old facilities of WKYR. The owner of Potomac (WKLP) used to be the owner of WKYR. It seems like WKLP has all of the old WKYR's advertisers in Keyser. For a new station it really has a long list of sponsors. The letters WKLP signify Westerbport, Keyser, Luke, Piedmont. Westernport & Luke are in Allegany Co., Md., & Keyser & Piedmont are in Mineral Co., W. Va. I was thinking those letters should have stood for West Vindex, Kitzmiller, Louise Pee Wee, all in the Kitzmiller District of Garrett Co., Md. As I am typing this I just heard a good advertisement on local WMSG, Oakland. If you want a new pair of pants, buy them at Markwood's in Kingwood, W.Va. They will offer you \$2 on your old pants! This is the first time I ever heard of trading in your pants. I'm still laughing at it. I think I'll drive over there to check it out, hi. It must be part of Pres. Johnson's poverty program, for poverty-ridden Appalachia. Veries in from CFRA-580, Ottawa 1, Ont. (150 Isabelle St.); WGNE-1480 Panama City Beach, Fla. 32407 (Box 9178); WCKB-780 Dunn, NC 28334 (Box 431); WIGS-1230 Gouverneur, NY 13642 (123 E. Main St.); WPRO-630 Providence, RI 02902; WNRV-990 Narrows, Va. 24124; WFBS-1450 Spring Lake, NC 28390 (Box 725) WLYN-1360, Lynn, Mass. 01901 (156 Broad St) CKAP-580 Kapuskasing, Ont. (24 Byng Ave.) WJER-1450 Dover, O. 44622 (646 Boulevard); WYSE-1560 Inverness, Fla. 32650 (Box 335); WBCI-740 Williamsburg, Va. 23185 (Box 180, Ironbound Rd.); WIS-560 Columbia, SC 29201; & WMVB-1440, Millville, NJ 08332. I might say it is still snowing w/way o/40" already on the ground. For several days we've been snowed in w/no school for o/a week. 73s.

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First a note to Bill Alisaukas; your rr-1580 in CST could be KFDF. Now down to DX: 1/27- WHBC-1480 @ 6:29pm & CJRN-1600 6:31 (do they verie?) 1/28- KKJO-1550 w/rr @ 6:17 pm, KIWA-1550 s/off 6:15; WLAP-630 @ 11:31pm, WELO-580 w/WX @ 11:50pm. 1/29- WROC-1440 @ 12:20am, KSO-1460 @ 12:25, WISM-1480 12:30, WITY-980 @ 1am w/no sign of WONE, & WMAY-970 w/local NX @ 1:03. 1/31- WDAF-610 1:22am w/WIP, KPRC-950 @ 1:34; WWTC-1280 s/off @ 2am; WROC-1280 @ 2:01am w/NX, & KRKO-1380 2:10. Now for a few questions. 1/29- What is s/off-730 12:05am w/"My Country Tis of Thee"? What is s/off-790 @ 12:06am w/SSB? 1/31- What are the two s/off's on 1310 @ 12:59am w/"My Country Tis of Thee" & SSB? What is s/off 1460 or 1470 @ 5:45pm w/SSB? Then for about a week I have heard a s/off-1490 1:05 am in CST w/1,000w.D. The letters were W-S. Any help would be very much appreciated. Veries: WJLS KDON (saying now AN) KFJM w/ other info plus a unique verie. Is anyone compiling a list of the mistakes in the VJ Log? It would be appreciated by anyone who is late in buying one & doesn't want to look o/DX NEWSes since publication. I stayed up for WJFZ TEST 2/1 but nothing heard. Does CKDA verie? Well, enough for now. 73.

Dan Shoaf - 6906 Hartland Avenue - Houston, Texas - 77055

Hi guys! Well, DX is now OK after getting off to a slow start in the first half of Jan. First of all a couple of notes: KWK has now been granted a reprieve until 2/28. WSET, Allendale, SC has changed its call to WDOG. Also KQKB Tyler, Tex. is now KDOK & the old KDOK is now KZAK. I read where WCCO Minneapolis is requesting operation on 830 w/a power to 750kw. (Oh boy, what next!) Here in Texas, the ALL-TEX Network has gone c/w all the way. This network consists of KAWA KEES KDOX KYAL, all in Texas. Now to some of my latest DX: 1/1- CKXL-1140 Canada @ 2:10am w/c/w.; KGEA-1140 Idaho @ 2:32am, RS; CKWX-1130 Canada @ 3:09, RS, CKSB-1050 Canada @ 3:25am FT. 1/2- KGFL-1430 NM @ 2:20 am w/f/c. 1/3- KNEZ-960 Cal. @ 3:05am w/NRC DX; KABL-960 Cal. @ 3:18, RS. 1/4- KSWs-1020 NM @ 7:53pm on RS. 1/10- KFJM-1370 NC @ 2am w/TEST; WABR-1440 Fla. @ 4am w/NRC DX. 1/11- KTIB-630 La. @ 5:25pm RS. 1/12- XENR-980 Mexico @ 7:40pm RS/SS. 1/14- KTRY-730 La. @ 6:18pm RS; KAGH-800 Ark. @ 6:27pm RS; KFYO-790 Texas @ 7:30pm RS; XETQ-850 Mexico @ 9:30pm. 1/16- WAJF-1490 Ala. @ 2:15am w/PoP test; WKYC-1100 O. @ 2:30am RS. 1/17- WTBC-1230 Ala. @ 2am RS; WCRO-1230 Pa. @ 2:16am w/NRC DX; WJOB-1230 @ 3:19am RS; WXLJ-1230 Ga. @ 3:30 testing. 1/18- WGM-1240 Miss. @ 1:20am w/TT; WOWL-1240 Ala. at 1:20am RS; KWOC-930 Mo. @ 1:55am testing; WDAK-540 Ga. @ 2:55 RS-rr; XEKS-960 Mexico @ 3:30am w/SS mx on test; WDXN-540 Tenn. @ 2:25am. Well, I'll see you gentlemen in 7, so 73 & remember, "Early to Bed, Early to Rise, Work Like Heck & Advertise - on WJSB." Oh by the way, Ernie - I heard something you might be interested in. WGNE was running ETs on 1/17 @ 2:47 using recpess. Darn, I wish I was taping at that time! (Why me, Dan? I can't even boil water! -ERC)

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#17. Some welcomed varies in this week: v/1- KLTI KFJR WSEL KWOY CFCY WRXO KBOI. v/q- WTOD WKOP-DX KSL WSPA. Totals: state: 48/43 & provinces, 10/7. Still need varies from Ind., Nev. NJ, Ore, RI, BC, NB & Que. A lot are easy but I've been too lazy to send reports to them. DX: 1/27- Unn WHRN-1440 f/c-TT 12:15-12:45am. Pretty sure there was no 1180 jammer around 1:40 but it was back later on. Unn WJFC-1480 r/c-DT 2-2:10, WBFJ-1540 r/c-DT 3:15-3:30. 1/28- WMSK-1550 f/c-TT 3:37am. 1/29- CST ET/M-540 3:10am? 1/30- Unn WRCP-1540 s/on 7:15am. Now that they've changed their call, why are they still owned by the "WJMJ Broadcasting Corp.?" Unn W.I.B.S.-535 6pm w/my 50' longwire blown down due to high winds. I put up an auxiliary one for cases like this but that blew down too, hi. Both antennas have to be constructed out of thin wire as outside aerials (even TV antennas) aren't allowed in this housing development. 7MM 1/31- Above average CX even w/the antenna lying across the garage roof. CJRL-1220 s/off 12:36 mentioning // to CKDR-900, I believe. SSB-1490 12:55? WAJF-1490 s/off 1:06 (#20 on 1490), unn WVKO-1580 f/c-TT 1:33, KSWs-1020 u/KGBS 1:40. SS-10k5 w/US rr @ 1:55? Unn WJCO-1510 f/c-TT ending 2:15, WOLF-1490 2:18 possibly for snow, WCUB-980 ET/M 2:27. TT-950 2:55? TT-800 3am? ET/M-730 3:11? KPRO-1440 u/XELZ 3:46, WCBG-1590 for snow @ 4:03 (#15 on 1590), WAYX-1230 s/on 4:55, WMVA-1450 5:04 w/WOL not on yet. Unns WCBM-680 WBBF-950 WBOC-960 WHMC-1150 WCAU-1210 WWDC-1200 WEEL-1310 WDOV-1410 & WCMB-1460 on AN for snow emergency. Is KBOX-1480 still AN? Also I sent a 30 minute tape to KYMN-1520 which is hard to log since they give so few announcements. 2/1- I didn't find out about WJJZ TEST in time. WHMC-1150 on AN again, KEYD-1220 r/c-TT 2:30-3am. 2/2- WTVB-1590 r/c-TT 1-1:15am. Unk-1580 during brief silent period while WPGC was conducting an EBS test @ 11:20am. I worked on the RX & think I've got it dehimmed. You can never be quite sure 2/am Sx-100, though! I guess it was the WLYN TEST I heard after all. That makes the fifth Special I could have probably verified by sending a tentative to & didn't (WLYN WCRO WVOC KCCT WDXN) & WABR which I verified already. Eighteen Contest points, yoiks! This brings my heard log to 1,222 stations. 73.

Dave Whatmough - 284 Main Street West - Hamilton, Ontario

Only two new stations logged this past week! TIRICA-625 & WHMC-1150. WHMC was on AN M 1/31 for snowstorm emergency in Md. WBOC-960 was also noted on. A letter was received from KALF Mesa indicating they were unable to go on 1/10 due to a local power failure at their studio. Their XR is remotely controlled & operated from the studio. They have applied for a license to operate fulltime. CHRC-1090 St. Jean has been left out of VJ Log in all sections. Varies since last report: v/1- WBBF WWTC WISK WIXY KLTI CKWS. v/q- WPRO WEDC WJR WKOP KOA (State #39). v/c- WAPE. I have a Hammarlund HQ-100AC on order, it should arrive in about 3-4 weeks. I hope CKOE woodstock DX goes on as sked 2/7. I'm anxious to see how far they get. Their effective daytime coverage is approximately eight miles from their XR. At a distance of 25 miles from their XR there is QRM from WUSJ which seems to cover a 75 mile radius w/only half the power. 73s, & DX.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island, New York - 10302

A colorful map of the Caribbean area, post card veri from Radio America-1165, pinpoints their location as (recognizable) Swan Island, off the coast of Honduras, so "that's final!" Their address is Box 352, Miami 1, Fla. PRH-9 R. Bandeirantes, San Paulo, Brazil, 840k, sent me a very attractive nanner; & nice v/l-EE. The latter report was out almost a year, & took six weeks for surface delivery - a case of "Better late than never." Ed Smith, the CE at out local, WPOW-1330 (Staten Island 10312) is a long-time appreciator of DX reports, but naturally wants reception, proven by program data before he'll verify.

Thomas Birch - 17 Ritchie Road - Binghamton, New York - 13901

No Musing last week because I had absolutely nothing to report! Well, one station, hi) DX for the past two weeks: 1/23- WKEK-1550 (?) S-7 s/off @ 5:14pm. WTIC-1080 S-2 @ 1:55pm for Conn. (I've had better catches than that for Conn. verie, hi) QSL. 1/30- WHOM-1480 S-5 3am s/off. WELM-1410 S-3 @ 12:16am. 1/31- KXLF-1370 S-2 @ 1:30-2am s/off for report. WJTN-1240 S-5 @ 3:04am. WKY-960 u/WPAT @ 3:13-3:35am, noted as good as KOMA; reported. 2/1- WHMC-1150 S-5 noted AN for storm @ 3:40am. WGIR-610 S-2 8:14 pm. WORA-760 (I think) S-1 u/WJR @ 8:20pm. WSPF-1000 way way u/WCFL @ 9:02pm. 2/2- WANT-990 o/everything w/sports @ 4:59pm; WFMJ-1390 S-5 @ 5:55pm. Reports out: KFJM, f/up-WFBC, KXLF WKY WWSC WHOK. Just got DX NEWS - Saturday! Great! I saw in Dave Whatmough's Musing that KENO & KXLF are hard to get veried. Rats! I was all set to get Montana, hi. And Dave, you also commented on the Binghamton stations - they have a terrific CE; WKOP-1360 v/q, WINR-680 v/l, CE lives on my street!, WENE-1430 verifies w/a mimeograph paper. Veries real slow. These: v/q- KOAM KOA WTIC WSM (out six months) KSL. v/l, none. Thanks to Jerry Bond for the great SCs - my letter to you goes out today. Robert Binau - thanks a lot for your 'PE card, but you forgot to include KLIV & KIDO SCs, hi. I'll sene a bunch of WENE SCs to you today, too (2/5). Well, that's it for this time - I hope you all are enjoying the snow, hi. School was cancelled two days here. 73.

Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

No 1/29 DX NEWS here as of 2/6 - first time late this season but no wonder, w/the WX that weekend. DX & veries have taken somewhat of a dive lately. In last two weeks, veries as follows: v/c- CKPM-1440, AN except 2-5am MMs, quite a few reports from Sweden & Denmark!; WIOD-1560. v/l- KFJM-1370 w/assorted data; WBIC-540 WYSE-1560 KLT1-1560. DX since last time: 1/3- CJLX-800 AN this MM, as were WCBS & WNBC due to transit strike WABR-1440 ET ID @ 2:58, week before sked DX; KWK-1380 ET ID @ 2:59; no go on KNEZ-960 DX - CFAC/CHNS both strong. As for KGVO-1290-DX, I had TT at times on 1290, especially good @ 3:29 w/only KOIL to contend with (WIRL off?). Did KGVO run any TT? CBC-1240 @ 3:30, who? CFAP-1290 DX strong & clear - surprised to be able to squeak out CHSM-1250 on those ponderous IDs u/CHWO-OC/WRYT/WEMP. Man. #10 here; 1330-SSB s/on again 3:54 w/ absolutely no ID - presume oddball WEVD; (WEVD s/on 8:15am, Eayne - WPOW's your man - ERC) AN SS-1370, definite ID as "R. Mundial" @ 3:57, HJKX, Bogota. Smith Chevrolet ads on 1370 around 4:14, WLTC, WTAB, oo who? 1/6- WCAL s/on 7am w/SSB. 1/9- WPXY-1550 s/on 7:15am; WRCP-1540 s/on 7:16 for new call. 1/10- rr-710 @ 1:55, is WHB still on then? KFJ-1370 TEST strong & clear throughout - interesting show; WHOK-1320 ET ID @ 2:12, don't verie, eh Ralphie? Who had TT-1470 O/WMBD @ 2:15? Big A-1 AN-1400 is CJET; WHDH-850 fairly clear w/WXW off again; presumed XERB-1090 w/plug for Great Mx, Box 1190, San Diego @ 2:38; just missed ID-ET-1260 w/ 5,000w @ 2:42 cothering WINDR. On 560, WGAN-AN & TT w/code IDs, I believe; frustrating Mm, ABC NX-920 @ 2:55, KRAM or KVEC, WCers? No ID @ 3am from TT-1300 u/WERW; XELZ-1440 AN & strong this MM, seemed like elusive CBC mx on 1370 again but still not positive; KTYM-1460 clearest yet, practically 100% readable around 3:25. WLAC took care of KASK/KALF but good, seemed like second station on 1510 @ 3:19 but way way u/WLAC. Who had TT-990 u/CBW @ 3:35? On 80C someone switching OC off/on, instrumental mx & no talk, "Wagon Wheels" @ 3:49, anybody catch ID? Real weak mx-1480 3:50-3:55 sure didn't sound like KBOX - what is current? MM s/on for VOUS? WCHB-1440 pretty well buried WABR this week; WRNY-1350 heard clearly o/u WSLR 4:13, both c/w; WSHP-1480-DX generally o/WYZE who were late w/s/on this MM; WPFB-910 must have been the one mentioning Interstate 71 @ 4:24, WERE-1300 just on OC @ 4:31 w/one weak station behind, imagine, WERE-WJW-WHK all off at the same time! WLYN-1360 TEST was rough u/WSAI but made it 4:00-4:46 when they hit the sack. Later, WBUX-1570 s/on 7:17 w/SSB. 1/11- No go w/needed CHOV-1350-DX, WSLR/KRNT too much. 1/12- What do you know? CBE-1550 actually s/off this Wed. @ 1:11, returned @ 6am. 73.

Steve Weinstein - 435 Jayson Avenue - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania - 15228

Hi. Veries: v/1- WBMK WLFA KFJM-TEST. v/q- WKOP-DX CKPM KXLY Algeria-890. DX: 1/30- WMTM-1300 6:01pm s/off. MM 1/31- WLBK-1410 1am ET/M booming in. UnID s/off on 1400, 1:15am w/SSB. ET/TT on 1230 w/ID @ 1:19, closest I could come to calls was KXXV; might possibly have been KSSST or KISD. Anybody else hear them? WBOC-960 1:47am on for snow. WLOK-1340 2:58am AN. UnID ET/march mx on 730, 3:13-3:16am s/off. UnID ET/M 3:28am w/rr. 2/2- WLBK-1460 6:13pm s/off w/Lord's Prayer. WSWV-1570 6:16pm s/off. WEUP-1600 6:28pm s/off, WJWJ-1570 6:30pm s/off. WKCU-1350 6:32pm s/off w/Dixie. KCCV-1510 7pm s/off. 2/4- WAQE-1570 5:44pm s/off. WBNO-1520 6:15pm s/off. WCRT-1260 6:30pm s/off, booming in. WMQM-1480 6:43pm s/off w/Lord's Prayer. KUOA-1290 7pm s/off. KLTR-1580 7:14pm s/off. 2/5- WRYT-1250 exceptionally weak; WTMA noted o/them! @ 5:17am. WAPO-1150 s/on 5:29am. WSBT-960 s/on 5:35am, not heard here too often. New WLMD-900 very clear 7am s/on. KDFN-1500 noted on top 7:14am. Later, WBEL-1380 clear 7:04pm. 2/6- WZOK-1320 6am s/on. WTMA-1250 way on top 6:02pm (WRYT wasn't on this AM, but I couldn't tell the difference!) UnID ET/M on 1230 6:03am w/rr. WMOR-1330 clear S-2 6:30am. WNLC-1510 7am s/on on top, w/WLAC off. KWFT-620 dominant @ 7:05am. WLSD-1220 7:15am s/on. At SSS, KKJO-1550 very clear 6:57pm (Kay-Joe). KFDF-1580 7pm s/off. Everybody try for WFUL & WBVP! And send those reports to WBAA now! 73s. KQV is back on their AN-6 sked. Must have been XR trouble those two AMs.

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2/2. Hi everybody, veries in since last report are: CJKL WDBJ "R. Americas" (country #4) WHBC WJR WKBN WOAI WHAS WWL WFOR WBT KSL WIND, all v/q. v/1- CFTJ WQXI WIP WHKY (w/souvenir pencil), & KFJR w/"verification sticker." My totals now are 23 states, three provinces, & four countries varied. Few reports are going out due to the last three MMs being complete flops. 1/10- KFJM TEST was very weak here, but a few IDs were heard. 1/29- I was surprised to hear WVOK-690 on until 8:30pm because of "emergency WX conditions." They were at times way o/CBF, also they were my first Ala. I've been thinking about getting another RX lately & have made an offer to buy Jim Neff's HE-30. That's all for now, & 73 till next time.

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More pictures this week; thanks to Rich Gula, Mike Silvera, Dan Burstein & Greg Senko for their snapshots, & thanks also to John Oldfield & Gray Scrimgeour for postcards. They're most welcome, lads, and thanks so much! Veries: v/PPs in from WLOP-1370 WMTL-1580 WJOR-940, & v/q from Algeria-548, new country, & African #6 varied. DX Down the Week: 2/4- Looking for WM00-1550, I found WOKJ banging CBE around @ 6:48pm, NN programming. The HI-- on 652 a while back is now on about 648, & w/tremendous signal strength here, evenings. UnID SSeS on 812 & 822 evenings. 2/5- Four new ones on a Saturday borders on the unusual! WEZJ-1440 r/c-TT 4-4:10 o/a CKPM; & WYNX-1550 ET-c/w mx u/CBE 4:07-4:23 apparent s/off. A third one there w/TT, unID. Local boys needing WFIF-1500 may get them now 5-5:30pm as WKER-1500 s/off @ 5:02pm, w/WFIF on till 5:30. This done today. While eating supper, & tuned to WJRZ on the Grundig, they suddenly "blew up" & in sailed WREO, Ashtabula, for a four-minute report till WJRZ returned. This 6-6:04pm. SM 2/6- WXOK-1460 is AN but woefully weak. In fact, an SS on 1462 was better than they & seemed to be "R. Sincelejo," but not sure, as they were on 1460-trus last month. It was heard 4:19am on. UnID SS on 1060 w/good signal, I'm sure, not a Cuban, but my hunt today was for 840 s/ons, so I let him slide. OC on around 4:40am on 840, w/s/on at 5:01; turned out to be YVMY, Barquisimeto, Venezuela. Then @ 5:05, s/on w/"Santa Lucia" w/no s/on mesaage must have been Castries, St. Lucia. Announcements were alternately in SS & FF, much mx in EE. Confused, aren't they? MM 2/7- Unn KSM-1530 ET/M most of the AM. Off were CBF-690 WOR-710 & WPAT-930. Looking for the 1442k Braziliah, instead I heard SS there, & same program on 626 & 650k, w/much excited mention of "El Presidente" and "Estacion Nacional." I couldn't ID even the country - anybody else have better luck? PRA2-800 is a CINCH MMs when the channel is free of NAs, but I hit there too late; only all-talk 3:22 to fade-out around 3:30, so next week, I hope. Watch the ANs then, hi! KSTP is surrounded by TTs, hets, whistles, & what have you. CUin'?

TWO NEW ABBREVIATIONS FOR MUSINGS

k- for kilocycles, instead of old "kc/s." (new international abbreviation is "kHz", hard to type, so why not just "k"? And L&C for "Loud & Clear." OK?

CDXC says that KSTP & WTOP-1500 may no longer switch to day patterns @ 4am local time.

WJBK complained of too much interference then - quite a squeeze, I imagine!.

Congrats to Andy Rugg, on a fine job in CDXC's "Cadex." C U in Montreal, Andy!

We'd like to extend a most hearty and sincere welcome to the following

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During the past two weeks we have received many requests for sample bulletins and information about the club as a result of our address having been published in the 1966 Communications Handbook. Unfortunately our Buffalo address was the one that was listed, but the Postmaster there has been forwarding me that mail promptly. I have been busy answering all these requests, and I have tried to convince any BCB DXers that we are the best club in business! More new members should result.

A special thanks also, to Joe Jones of WDEL who has referred dozens of DXers to our club. Our membership ranks contain the names of many who found there way to us via Mr. Jones and WDEL.

The same thanks to Wes Boyd and Jerry Starr of WHOT. Wes continues to bring me many reception reports and I always send out a sample bulletin if it looks like a good prospect. Quite a few members heard about NRC through this contact.

A sample bulletin of this issue goes out to ALBERTO LAVEAGA, MONTENEGRO 831, GUADALAJARA, MEXICO. I've written Alberto a letter explaining that we would really appreciate having a member from his part of the world. Perhaps others of you will want to drop him a line urging him to join us.

I hope all you members who have the time will drop a welcome note to these new members. We hope all will join in sending in reports of their DX doings. A month or two back we were holding you back and limiting the size of the bulletin. This issue should have been 30 pages. Let's get "crackin'". Conditions are surely not that bad!

I have recived a fine letter via airmail special delivery from our new CPC man in Quebec JACQUES DUBE, 695 WILLIAMS, TROIS-RIVIERES, QUEBEC, CANADA. Jacques writes to inform us of a special DX program as follows:

RADIO STATION C K T R	MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1966	1150 kcs.
543 Gervais	From 3:00 to 3:30 a.m. EST	1000 watts
Trois-Rivieres, Quebec, Canada		

This French Canadian station operates with a daytime power of 10,000 watts. They will verify all correct reports. Please address them as above to Mr. Charles Couture, Manager. Don't forget the courtesy of return postage. CKTR send a very beautiful letter as verification.

Let's make a special effort to send CKTR a flock of reports. It will serve two purposes; CKTR will be happy and we will be supporting and encouraging our new CPC man, the first French speaking CPC man we've had in French Canada. I'm sure Jacques will be able to arrange many more programs for us, so let's make a special effort to report this one, even though many of you already have them in your logs.

Jacques adds that he has some French form letters available for other CPC members if they are interested. And he also says "I'LL BE IN MONTREAL FOR THE CONVENTION!"

February 12, 1966

DX NEWS

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ON THE STATION'S LETTERHEAD

RADIO STATION W P Y B * P. O. BOX 215 * BENSON, NORTH CAROLINA

Editor, DX News
National Radio Club
Kittanning, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

The personnel of WPYB Radio Station take this opportunity to express sincere thanks for the splendid participation response of NRC members to our special equipment test broadcast of 29 December 1965. The boss ~~was~~ more than pleased with the results, proving that our little flea-power really can cover some ground. We compliment the more than two dozen members of your fine club who submitted highly accurate and complete reception reports to our chief engineer.

Since the engineer has been showered with some forty-odd reception reports and he is now in the process of trying to ready the station for 10kw operation, it is such that he cannot answer these requests for verification of reception at this time. The engineer has informed me that his current plans are to modernize the existing audio equipment at WPYB, and he is due shortly to install equipment in a new station in Virginia. Consequently, it could be several months before NRC members receive any form of acknowledgement.

We ask that club members be patient. The cards of verification will be sent out as soon as time is available. As the situation looks now, it may become necessary to perform additional on-the-air tests in the near future. Should these come about, DX NEWS will be notified. Hopes are that these tests will fall in a time when propagation conditions are good.

Would you be so kind as to publish in the club bulletin this announcement. With kindest regards to BCB listening hobbyists throughout the nation, I am

Sincerely yours,
THEDMON F. TART
For WPYB Radio Station

Via telephone as we go to press the following information about another excellent DX program. This will find a clear channel and should be heard by hundreds of us.
FROM STEVE WEINSTEIN

K A P B Marksville, Louisiana will conduct a test program for NRC on Monday morning, February 28, 1966 from 3:00 to 4:00 AM EST. Steve will no doubt send the signers name to Ernie Cooper who will include it in the DX Calendar and write it up next week.

A post card from MIKE TILBROOK alerts us to a DX test from W M P O 1390 Kcs. Pomeroy, Ohio from 3:00 to 3:30 a.m. but Steve forgot to tell us the date. I am sure whis program will be properly listed in the DX calendar next week.

Postcard from LEO FOX advises he is leaving Keno Hill effective 1/26. Doesn't know his new address yet.

For the benefit of many new members who are new to the hobby, you can obtain a very handy listing of North American Radio-TV Stations for \$1.95 as follows:

VANE A. JONES COMPANY, 6710 HAMPTON DRIVE, E., INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46226. (\$1.95)

This log book, revised to Dec. 1965, is the handiest and best we can recommend. It's a MUST for the new DXer interested in broadcast band (medium wave) DXing.

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WHAT'S HEARD ...

- 548 algeria. Bechar noted loud and clear at 1730 on 1/31. (Joe Boatwright, 2 Cherry Lane, Basking Ridge, N.J. 07920.) Note that WRTH-66 lists Oran I here with 300 kw. Not yet confirmed by EBU. (Ed.)
- 560 GUATEMALA. TGBOL, Guatemala. Very strong 2227-2238 on 1/24. Gave "Cinco Sesenta" ID at 2228. Report out. (Charles P. Mohr, Jr. Eight Fairfield St., White Plains, N.Y. 10606.)
- 580 JAMAICA. R.J.R., Port Maria. Heard o/u CFRA 0445-0455 on 1/3. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 600 CUBA. While looking (Fruitlessly) for HJHJ on 1/22, I heard a "La Voz de Cuba" ID at 2230. Presumably CMKV, Holguin. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 670 GUATEMALA. TGRT. R. Fabulosa, Guatemala. Heard under WMAO 2112 1/28 with U.S. R&R. (Stephen McIntire, 2225 Searle St., Des Moines, Iowa, 50310)
- VENEZUELA. YVLL, R. Rumbas, Caracas, under HJNX with news and chimes. Poor at 0512 2/1. (Michael A. Silvera, 5, Trenton Ave., Kingston 8, Jamaica)
- 695 GUATEMALA. TGHR, R. Mundial, Guatemala. Logged on 1/27 2225-2250 with "quiet" instrumentals and frequent commercials. Mucho CBF here. Guatemala #4. (Jim Neff, 90 Childs St., Springville, N.Y. 14141)
- 730 TRINIDAD. Port-of-Spain. Atop briefly at 1840 on 1/29, and fair at 0525 on 1/31. (Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Drive, Chester, Pa. 19013.) Noted with great signal at 2204 with BBC News. (Mike Diers, 414 49th St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11220) Mike, the VP4RD call was dropped years ago. (Ed.)
- 740 EL SALVADOR. YSRM, Circuits YSR, San Miguel. Very weak w/CBL at 0058 1/31. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 750 JAMAICA. J.B.C., Port Maria. Noted over WSB at 2130 with commercials and R & R. (Diers, N.Y.)
- 764 SENEGAL. Dakar. Exceptionally strong at 0156-0204 on 1/17, with harp music, drums, and talk by man and woman in French. This is the second time I have heard them - the first was a year ago almost to the day, 1/18/65, at approximately the same time. Is this just coincidental, or is there any scientific reason? Not heard since. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 770 VENEZUELA. Dangerfield's UNID. in the 12/25 issue was R. Puerto la Cruz, YVQQ. S/on this morning at 0430 with anthem. (Boatwright, N.J.)
- 795 UNID. L.A. Spanish, weak signal; evenings. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 834 ER. HONDURAS. R. Belize. As strong as some semi-locals at 2220. National prayer and s/off at 2231. (Diers) Rinally separated from WCCO-WHAS slop for decent log on 12/27 with Christmas music. Fair. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 840 GUATEMALA. TGKL, R. Emperador, Guatemala. With weak signal at 0026. Played U.S. Rock and Roll. What city are they in, and who's the veris signer? (Diers, N.Y.) Address: 6a Avenida 2-80, 21, Guatemala, and signer is Dora Renee de Encinas, Secretaria. (Ed.)
- 887 UNID. L.A. Heard 1/13 in Spanish for only 3 minutes. Gordon Nelson reports bearing as Ecuadorian, and after discovery of a TVI-like signal on 866.5 with a bearing of 160° that was undoubtedly pulling off my bearing, I have tried measuring on the high side of 887 only. With WLS CRM only one measurement has so far been achieved with a bearing of about 125°, which supports Ecuador. The best guess is Gordon's: HCTL-5 in Rio-bamba. (Clarence H. Freeman, P.O. Box 12, Hughson, Calif. 95326)
- 930 COLOMBIA. HJCS, R. Continental, Bogota. Now NSP with parallel programming to HJES-980. Both Todelar network. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 980 COLOMBIA. HJES, R. El Sol, Cali. Now non-stop with HJCS. Local ID's given. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1000 VIRGIN IS. WBNB noted on 1/31 at 0527. (Boatwright, N.J.)
- UNID. Who was here 1/31 from approximately 0400-0500 with vocal jazz pieces? Possibly LZD? Mostly continuous music; announcer spoke rarely. (Boatwright, N.J.)
- UNID. Who is the Spanish speaker who signed on MM 1/31 at 0500. (Boatwright, N.J.)
- 1035 HAITI. 4VEF, Cap-Haitien. Heard with excellent signals from 1908-2012. French until 2000. (Diers, N.Y.)
- 1043 E. GERMANY. D.D.R., Dresden. Heard 1/27 for a short period, which with weaker Tallinn-1034 is first audio readable from any European since Christmas. Unneeded, but clearly Trans-Polar conditions took a sharp nose-dive for a long period. Since 1/27, only one additional opening, and it weaker. (Freeman, Calif.)
- 1050 MEXICO. XEG, Monterrey, N.L. Heard on 1/2 over CHUM, under WHN at 0158 with C/W ads, like XERF and KXEL. Heard again in clear on 1/17 when WHN off. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 1060 COLOMBIA. HJAZ, Emisora Sinu, Monteria, now non-stop, seems to use reduced power at night. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1135 COLOMBIA. HJAG, Emisoras Riomar, Barranquilla, now here from 1130, terrible slop-over. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1136A UNID S.S. Noted here 1/28 around 2057; slop from WRVA killed them later. Who? (McIntire, Iowa) Above? (Ed.)
- 1140 PUERTO RICO. WITA, San Juan. Heard weakly under jammer 1/31 at 0453. (McIntire, Iowa)
- 1214 ENGLAND. B.B.C. Light Programme. Seems to be most dependable TA. Heard most MMs with the Sony portable. Report still out from 10/18 0113-0136. (Mohr, N.Y.)
- 1223 UNID. Who s/off here on 1/16 at 1746 with anthem? (Boatwright, N.J.)
- 1290 COLOMBIA. HJTH, R. Ritmes, Medellin, no longer AN. In fact, not heard since 1/7. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1348 UNID (still) L.A. Spanish, good 1835 1/29. (Dangerfield, Pa.)

- 1354 COLOMBIA. (which?) Occasionally good, brief periods, evenings. Frequent mention of "Rio". (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 1365 UNID. L.A. Sounds like another Colombian. Weaker than 1354 kc. heard evenings. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 1425 UNID. LA. (still) weak, probably LA, playing Welk type music 1917 on 1/28. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 1520 PUERTO RICO. WRAI. S/on MM 1/31 at 0500 with what must be Puerto Rican anthem followed by SSB. (Boatwright)
 1580 COLOMBIA. HJAY, La Voz de la Cordialidad, Barranquilla. Heard nightly o/u WCLS after CBJ s/off at 0000, with deep fading. Best 1/25 0227-38. Report out and fingers crossed as Colombia needed with no-answer HJED only other from there. (Mohr, N.Y.)

Well, I held til Munday hoping some new ones would come in, but no soap! Nobody listening? Just because this year suddenly isn't as good as it was, well ... (So what's Ye Ed's excuse!)

VERIFICATIONS ...

- 580 JAMAICA. R.J.R. Port Maria. Specific v/f from W.G. Matthews, CE, for 1/3/66 reception, back in two weeks. Address (tnx, Mike Silvera) is P.O. Box 23, Kingston 5. Country #13. (Mohr, N.Y.)
 625 COSTA RICA. TIRICA, La Voz de la Victor, San Jose. Nice QSL card. R. Internacional, LV de la Victor. V/s Sara McMore. 11/19 report. Apartado 1079. (Ev Johnson, 504 - 16th St., Mendota, Ill.)
 665 PORTUGAL. V/q received for report of 12/20. (Boatwright, N.J.) Smaller size world map card with date and freq. in meters, filled in. However, gave date as 11th month instead of 12th, when reception made. Will count, as day and freq. correct. (Neff, N.Y.)
 728 SPAIN. R.N.E., La Coruna. Very friendly v/l in English received from Ramiro Martinez-Anido, Chief of Programs, for report of 10/12. My second report was forwarded to them from Madrid. Address given is Apartado 199. (Boatwright, N.J.) Since moved to 638 kc. (Ed.)
 764 SENEGAL. Dakar. French QSL-card, unsigned, back in 2 weeks for 1/17 reception. Specifies 764 kcs. Did not answer report of last season. Country #14. (Mohr, N.Y.)
 834 BR. HONDURAS. Belize. Very specific v/q for 12/7/65 reception back in 3 1/2 weeks. Signer is same as given in past IDXD's... L.H. Young, Radio Engineer. Country #11. (Mohr, N.Y.)
 845 ITALY. R.A.I., Roma. Sent QSL for reception of 11/12. Have they gone to planned 400 kw yet? Instead of answering this question, they said to see new program schedule, which isn't here yet. Country #54, and an even dozen Europeans now verified from California. (Freeman, Calif.) Great record. (Ed.)
 860 MEXICO. KEUN, Ciudad Universitaria, Mexico 20, D.F. V/S Hector Mendonza, Sub-Director, for 12/30 report. (Johnson, Ill.)
 890 ALGERIA. R.T.A., Algiers, sent good QSL-card with all necessary details, signer unreadable, plus frequency schedule and air-mail report form. Country #45. (Callarman, Texas)
 953 CZECHOSLOVAKIA. Brno. New design QSL card re my 11/20 log. Signed by Martha Trojanova at Prague, altho I sent the report to Brno, hoping for a letter from the CE (as Bratislava). (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 960 MEXICO. XEK, N. Laredo, Tams. v/l in English and postcard for test, Comm. Mgr. Felipe Maldonado P. says test every month on third Tuesday from 0230-0300. Plays vocals during test. 2 addresses: A.B. 99, Nuevo Laredo, Tams. & Box 87, Laredo, Texas. (Neff, N.Y.)
 990 PUERTO RICO. WPR, Mayaguez. Sent v/l signed by C.E. for 8/23 report. Says he just got it. Glad to get it, though. V/s Arthur S. Clawson. (Silvera, Jamaica)
 1040 BRAZIL. PRC-2, R. Tupi, Sao Paulo signed and returned prepared card for reception of 12/5. Too risky to try and decipher signature, but position given as Director Artistico. Country #55 from Calif. #57 overall lifetime. (Freeman, Calif.)
 1050 MEXICO. XEG, Monterrey, N.L. V/q for 1/2/66 reception, back in 2 weeks. Signer is Teofilo Bichara, Mgr. I sent to Monterrey, but mailing address is Fort Worth 11, Texas. Card was postmarked Monterrey. Country #12. (Mohr, N.Y.)
 1088 ENGLAND. B.B.C. Droitwich. Very cordial v/l from E.R. Deighton, Heard of Engineering, Midland Region. Back in 1 week, air mail, for 10/18/65 report. Included B.B.C. CM, Information folder, sked, and returned my IRC's. Address is B.B.C. Broadcasting House, Carpenter Road, Birmingham, 15. Country #10. (Mohr, N.Y.)

RED - FACE DEPARTMENT ... Recall a few weeks ago, I asked if anyone wanted to buy Neal Eubanks' HC-150 for \$165.00? Somebody did, but I had misplaced Neal's mailing address. Now, I've found the address, but misplaced the letter from the DX'er who requested it... and I can't remember who it was. Neal can be reached at 2902 Monroe, Amarillo, Texas.

ANARC CONVENTION will not be held in conjunction with IRCA conclave in Milwaukee, a late note from ANARC headquarters indicates. As one ANARC representative who neglected his duties and failed to vote, I can't say very much, except that I assumed last week that the IRCA invitation would be accepted. Your editor regrets that his participation in our wonderful hobby has been limited almost exclusively to editing this column for the past 8 months. I feel almost inactive!